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SUBJ: W/W UPDATE ON RIOT AND FIRE IN CULIACAN STATE
PENITENTIARY

REF: MAZATLAN 0318 AND PREVIOUS

1. ALTHOUGH THE CONSUL HAS NOT AS YET HEARD DIRECTLY FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCERNING THE REQUEST FOR THE TRANSFER OF SEVEN AMCITS INCARCERATED IN CULIACAN, A RECENT NEWSPAPER ARTICLE STATED THAT THE GOVERNOR HAD FIRED THIRTY-NINE GUARDS FROM THE PENITENTIARY, SOME OF WHOM HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN DRUG TRAFFICKING WITHIN THE PRISON, AND HAD HIRED FIFTY NEW ONES ESPECIALLY INDOCTRINATED FOR THIS TYPE WORK. THIS STEP INDICATES THAT THE GOVERNOR IS OFF TO A GOOD START IN HIS INVESTIGATION.

2. THE CONSUL HAS LEARNED UNOFFICIALLY, FROM A RELIABLE SOURCE, THAT THOSE PRISONERS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RIOT AND FIRE, WHO ARE NOW BEING PROSECUTED, ARE SLATED TO BE TRANSFERRED TO THE PRISON AT THE ISLAS MARIAS AFTER THEIR STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN. THE SOURCE STATED THAT NONE OF THE PRISONERS IN THE CULIACAN PENITENTIARY FEEL SAFE WITH THEM AROUND, AND THE PRISON ADMINISTRATION IS UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE TO GET RID OF THEM.

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3. THE CONSUL FEELS THAT THE TRANSFER OF THE PERPETRATORS OF THE CRIME WILL NEGATE THE NECESSITY FOR THE MASS TRANSFER OF THE AMERICAN PRISONERS FOR SECURITY PURPOSES.

4. WILL UPDATE, IF NECESSARY.
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